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FINANCIAL REPORT

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Town of Jefferson,

New Hampshire,

For the Year Ending, March 1, 1888.

No. Polls, 308; Real estate, value, \$202,794 00;
No. Horses, 433, value, \$23,434 00; No. Cattle,
1018, value, \$23,542 00; No. Sheep, 548, value,
\$1,340 00; No. Swine 3, value, \$18 00; No. Car-
riages 37, value, \$2,400 00; Stock in Trade, \$14,-
964 00; No. Dogs 139.

Per cent. on total valuation, \$2 40.

AMOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED.

State tax,	\$ 508 00
County tax,	846 96
Town tax,	2700 00
School money,	800 00
School house at Mills,	500 00
Dictionaries and globes,	75 00
Library,	50 00
Highway tax,	1496 76
Amount of Collector's receipts,	7406 46

MONEY RECEIVED BY TREASURER.

Rec'd from Treasurer 1886,	66 11
Collector Davenport 1885-86,	3683 89
“ Noyes 1887,	4905 62
“ Literary fund 1887,	163 54
Savings Bank tax 1887,	75 85
Bounties,	10 00

County support of poor,	522 29
Redemption money from Town Clerk,	29 03
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	\$9456 33

Redemption money received by Treasurer of William
J. Chamberlain as follows:

On farm of John M. Morse for 1879,	16 73
Moses Roberts from 1879 to 1882,	89 15
Darius Stillings 1880,	30 11
James D. Clark 1879-1880,	19 84
George Gage 1879,	8 39
James Hicks 1880,	1 29
Ezra Boardreau 1883,	7 14
Andrew Church 1880,	25 90
Reed Wentworth 1879,	3 11
Wallace W. Bedell 1880,	12 64
E. A. Crawford 1879-80,	89 40
Amos Remick 1879,	6 82
Amara Holmes 1882,	26 60
Chas. L. Plaisted 1880,	63 27
P. C. Plaisted 1880-85-86,	59 47
Seth Roberts 1879-80,	8 18
Wm. F. Sedgell 1886,	2 34
James W. Rines 1879,	6 10
Edward Ray 1882,	29 24
Fread Darby 1882-84,	8 59
Knight P. Summers 1880,	7 34
L. B. Moulton 1883,	13 94
Ada F. Trull 1886,	15 15

Albert Lindsey 1886,	8 17
John W. Holmes 1884,	11 48
Freeman H. Holmes 1882,	8 20
Geo. R. Holmes 1878,	17 40
Daniel Gray 1878-9-80,	25 00
Wm. J. Chamberlain 1880,	8 25
On lot 123 in range 10, 1886,	17 58
9 " 1, "	1 00
27 Kilkenney "	5 07
22 in range 7, 1884,	3 60
On land of Frank P. Stillings and Sunny Side	
House, paid by J. Benton,	50 00
Alonzo H. Newton 1887,	27 25
C. C. Beaton 1880,	10 02
Frank Smith	97
Sale of old School House at Mills,	11 00
Use of Town House for 1887,	9 16
Sale of old Hearse Sleds,	5 00
On Poll tax, James McGee 1885,	2 70
Wm. McGee 1885,	2 20
Robert Stewart 1885,	2 15
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	\$776 95
Total amt. recd. by Treasurer,	\$10,233 28

MISCELLANEOUS—PAID.

K. B. Fletcher, note dis. No. 6,	644 27
L. H. Palmer, supervisor 1886,	3 00
John A. Hicks, town clerk, 1886,	30 00
John W. Crawshaw, selectman, 1886,	50 00

Geo. H. Colby, stationery and book for town clerk,	6 62
Postage and stationery, '86,	1 27
Charles K. Gile, selectman, '86,	60 00
Wm. J. Chamberlain, '86,	80 00
N. M. Davenport, collector, '85,	100 00
Edgers for road machine,	16 00
Bal. County tax, '86,	174 61
John Goodall, taking deposition,	5 00
Road machine,	264 19
Printing town reports and checklists,	15 50
James D. Clark, bear bounty,	10 00
I. G. Noyes, for Mills school house,	500 00
Levi Stalbird, treasurer '86,	40 00
Charles Chesman, note dist. No. 1,	253 67
L. H. Palmer, as member board education,	35 00
H. M. Grant, hearse sled,	38 00
A. F. Willoughby, damage on wagon,	3 75
B. H. Plaisted, town library,	100 00
Abner Davis, dictionary and globes,	75 00
Wm. Gray, on town note,	2020 60
State tax, '87,	508 00
County tax, '87,	846 92
C. H. Burnham, registering births, '85, '86, '87,	13 25
Drew & Jordan, retaining fee and advice from '83 to '88,	111 00
Wm. E. Howe, given deeds to town,	1 25
Wood for town house, '86, '87, '88,	8 75
E. C. Eastman, collector's deeds,	1 24
P. J. Noyes, stationery,	1 30
Stationery and postage,	2 28
N. M. Davenport, collector, '86,	100 00

Wm. Chamberlain, collecting back taxes,	65 00
N. R. Perkins, auditor, '86,	3 00
Chas. E. Rines, damage crossing land,	6 00

\$6194 47

Paid Joseph P. Davis, road agent,	\$1488 03
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PAID ON ROADS AND BRIDGES.

John A. Hicks. labor on highway,	12 26
B. F. Hicks, " "	2 25
Albert Towle, " "	11 15
J. W. Crawshaw, " "	2 20
L. Goodall, '86, " "	2 30
H. Applebee, '86, " "	17 55
M. D. Bean,	18 25
Levi King,	2 75
Lewis Wentworth,	2 00
A. J. Barnett,	2 00
Hiram Applebee,	1 50
John Palmer,	18 85
Langdon Goodall,	6 55
Wm. J. Chamberlain,	4 80
E. B. Rogers,	18 04
B. C. Garland,	10 00
Geo. Phelps,	14 15
Jacob Ranlett,	3 00
John F. Willoughby,	20 00
Seth Roberts,	12 25
Wm. B. Ingerson,	4 00
Chas. S. Merrow,	3 20
Thomas W. Walker,	15 75
S. L. Bray, '84, '85,	11 55

I. G. Noyes,	37 72
Chas. Stillings,	18 18
Geo. E. Perry,	9 85
Paschall & Bennett,	9 00
E. S. Jones,	12 90
Reuben Plaisted,	2 80
Fred A. Tuttle,	1 50
I. E. Bedell,	75
Chas. W. Knight,	5 54
N. H. Holmes,	3 15
Lewis Davis,	4 00
John A. Hicks,	1 65
E. J. McIntire,	7 65
G. W. & N. W. Libbey, plank, '85, '86,	46 60
Wm. J. Chamberlain, '88,	5 10
Mark Rines, plank and labor,	5 00
J. P. Davis,	5 90
Cyrus Buck,	1 50
W. W. Holmes, '86, '87, '88,	8 00
Langdon Goodall,	2 00
Freeman Orcutt,	11 70
Chas. Reed,	1 43
B. C. Garland,	18 00
I. E. James,	17 99
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	\$454 26

PAID FOR WATERING TROUGHS.

R. B. Kenison, '86, '87,	6 00
S. C. Howe, '86,	3 00
C. W. Gale, '85, '86, '87,	9 00
E. Plaisted, '84, '86, '87,	4 50
L. H. Palmer, '85-6,	3 00

Reuben Plaisted, '86,	1 50
J. W. Hicks, '87,	3 00
Ransom Hicks, '86-7	6 00
N. R. Perkins, '87,	3 00

\$39 00

Paid Board of Education, \$1039 39

Paid B. H. Plaisted, use of hearse to bury

John Morse,	3 00
Mrs. Charles Merrow,	4 00
Mrs. Charles Longway,	2 00
James Hicks,	5 00
Child of Herbert Palmer,	3 00

\$17 00

Paid for support of county poor, \$577 63

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS

E. Plaisted,	3 00
E. J. & Turner McIntire,	27 00

\$30 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

By N. M. Davenport, collector, '85,	57 27
N. M. Davenport, collector, '86,	52 08

PAID TOWN OFFICERS, 1887.

John A. Hicks, town clerk,	30 00
William J. Chamberlain, selectman,	80 00
Mark Rines, " "	60 00
E. J. McIntire, " "	50 00
Nicholas Tuttle, treasurer,	50 00
R. B. Eastman, supervisor,	6 00

John B. McIntire, "	6 00
Abner Davis, board af education,	35 00
Geo. E. Hutchins, board of education,	10 00
R. B. Eastman, librarian,	25 00
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	\$352 00

AMOUNT OF LIABILITIES MARCH 1, 1888.

Due Wm. Gray on note to March 2, '88,	4900 00
" E. S. McIntire on note to March 1, '88,	1336 29
" Collector I. G. Noyes, '87,	125 00
" " N. M. Davenport, '86,	25 00
" Dr. McGregor,	46 30
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	\$6432 59

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due from collector N. M. Davenport, '86,	64 24
" " " I. G. Noyes, '87,	2426 76
" " non resident land sale, '88,	74 08
" " Coos county,	43 08
" " Treasurer, '87,	41 50
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	\$2649 66

Balance against the town,	\$3782 93
Indebtedness of the town March 1, '87,	\$4898 47
" " " " 1, '88,	\$3782 93
Debt reduced within the year,	\$1115 54

We have examined the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and we respectfully suggest the selectmen require all accounts to be thoroughly itemized.

W. F. JEWETT, }
C. H. BURNHAM, } AUDITORS.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Jefferson, N. H., May 13, 1887.

Paid for two boxes crayons,	\$1 90
Stamps and stationery,	50
Team two days,	2 50
J. D. Clark, for lock,	25
Cleaning schoolhouse, (Hill)	2 00
Cleaning privy and repairs,	2 25
Team two days, June 13 and 14,	2 50
J. M. Morse, for teacher, July 2, (Mills)	35 00
C. K. Gile, for going to Gorham for teacher, and expense,	3 00
Mr. Orcutt, for plastering, July 7, (Hill)	1 00
For team,	1 00
Miss Philbrook, teacher,	40 50
Mrs. Plaisted, board, July 12,	10 00
Mr. Hutchins, Whitefield, bill tuition, 1886-7,	13 50
Team,	1 00
For two door latches, October,	30
For putting on latches and repairs,	50
Bill for team at different times, fall and winter, Jan. 1888,	4 00
Hibbard, for carrying teacher and trunk to Gorham,	3 00
For box crayons,	15

Mr. Buck, for repairs on house at Kings and Meadows, February,	2 50
Material and repairs, (No. 1)	2 00
Paper and stamps,	25
Two steel keys,	25
Screws, hinges, stove pipe and repairs,	3 00
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	\$132 85

Jefferson, N. H., February, 1888.

Received of school money, cash from last year, \$12, and \$12 estimated Whitefield bill,	\$24 00
of N. Tuttle, treasurer,	100 00
of Mr. Hutchins,	9 00
from N. Tuttle, old district money,	5 00
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	\$138 00
Paid out,	\$132 85
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	5 15

Received of town of Jefferson, for dictionaries,	75 00
Distributed eight dictionaries,	72 67
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Balance in my hands,	\$2 33

ABNER DAVIS,

Chairman B'd of Education.

MONEY PAID OUT FOR SCHOOLING.

1887.

May 7, For cleaning schoolhouse in dist. 6,	4 10
July 16, For teaching school in dist. 6,	85 00

Aug. 1,	For boarding teacher in dist. 6,	2 00
5,	For teaching school in dist. 9,	30 00
6,	For boarding teacher in dist. 9,	22 50
	Repairs on schoolhouse in 9.	5 30
	For teaching in 8,	18 00
12,	For teaching in 1,	40 00
14,	for board in dist. 1,	22 50
	6 1-4 cords of wood at 1.25,	7 81
	glass for windows,	49
	broom for schoolhouse,	30
	carrying teacher to and from depot	
	in dist. 1,	1 50
29,	for board in dist. 2,	8 00
30,	for teaching and board in dist. 7,	40 50
25,	for teaching in dist. 3,	40 00
Oct. 1,	for board in dist. 8,	12 00
18,	for cleaning schoolhouse in dist. 1,	3 00
	" " " " 3,	1 50
	for repairs on house in 3,	75
25,	for team, carrying teacher to Gorham,	
	in dist. 2,	3 00
Nov. 2,	for 1 cord of wood in dist. 7,	1 50
	for repairs on house in 7,	2 00
22,	for boards to repair house in dist. 6,	2 00
	for one load of wood in dist. 6,	1 00
Dec. 21,	for teaching in dist. 8,	21 00
	2, one water pail in dist. 9,	25
	two brooms in dist. 6,	60
	one box crayons in dist. 8,	15
	four squares glass in dist. 7,	40
	" " " " 2,	48

13, one cord wood in dis 2,	1 50
14, for board in dis 2,	18 00
for teaching in dis 2,	40 50
24, for teaching and board in dis 7,	45 00
for board in dis 8,	14 00
for wood in dis 8,	50
31, for teaching dis 9,	32 00
24, for carrying teacher to Gorham dis 2	3 00
31, for teaching and board in dis 1,	54 00
for repairs dis 1,	1 10
1888.	
Jan. 14, Abner Davis,	9 00
2, for repairs on house, dis 6,	4 00
20, for board and carrying teacher dis 9,	20 00
Feb. 9, for teacher in dis 3,	40 00
for teaching in dis 6,	88 00
for board in dis 6,	44 00
11, for taking care house dis 6,	3 00
18, for teaching and board dis 4,	60 00
22, for board in dis 3,	20 00
for 6 cords wood in dis 3,	6 25
for taking care of house in dis 4,	2 00
paid town of Whitefield for 52 weeks	
schooling at 33 1-2c per week,	17 33
two cords wood in dis 6,	2 00
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	\$902 81

MONEY RECEIVED OF TOWN FOR SCHOOLS.

July 13, 1887,	\$100 00
22,	\$100 00
Aug. 19,	\$125 00

Oct. 6,	\$25 00
Nov. 9,	\$25 00
Dec. 14,	\$325 00
Jan. 31, 1888,	\$239 39
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	\$939 39
	902 81
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Balance due,	\$36 58

GEO. E. HUTCHINS,

Treasurer B'd of Education.

The auditors have examined the accounts of the school board and find them correct.

W. F. JEWETT, }
C. H. BURNHAM, } AUDITORS.

VITAL STATISTICS.

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

JOHN A. HICKS, Town Clerk.

Births Registered in Town of Jefferson, for the Year ending December 31, 1887.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	SEX AND CONDITION				Names of Parents	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Parents
		Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child 1st, 2d, &c	Color				
Jan 13	Jefferson	Male		Living	3d	All	All	Jefferson	Farmer	Jefferson—Lancaster
18	"	"		"	1st	W	W	"	Laborer	P Q
27	"		Female	"	3d			"	Farmer	Jefferson—P Q
Feb 13	"	Male		"	2d			"	Butcher	"—Lancaster
17	"		Female	"	6th			"	Farmer	"—New York
Apr 6	"			"	1st			"	Boarding House	Canada
25	"			"	5th			"	Millman	Canada
26	"			"	1st			"	Farmer	Jefferson
Aug 17	"			"	1st			"	Laborer	"—Lancaster
31	"			"	1st			"	Lumberman	Canada
Sep 21	"			"	6th			"	Lumberman	New York
Oct 4	"	Male		"	1st			"	Trader	Maine—Jefferson
23	"			"	2d			"	Farmer	Maine—Jefferson

Marriages Registered in Town of Jefferson, for the Year ending December 31, 1887.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Residence of Groom and Bride.	Age of Each	Color of Each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Birthplace of Each	Names of Parents and Occupation	Birthplace of Parents	Marriage	Name Residence & Official Station of person by whom married.
June 18	Jefferson N H	Burt R Ingerson Ellen Carr	21 17	All W	Farmer Housework	Jefferson	Wm B Ingerson farmer Susannah Ingerson Willis Carr Mary Carr		1st	James Crowley, clergy. Jefferson
June 27	Jefferson N H	Francis Beattie Jane Gullen	22 22		Farmer	Canada Canada	Wm Beattie farmer Mary Beattie Thomas Gullen farmer Elza Gullen	Ireland Canada	1st 1st	James Crowley, c. Jefferson
July 23	Whitefield N H	Ambrew Cotton Evy C Hartford	36 25		Farmer School Teacher	Jefferson Lancaster	Joseph Cotton Martha Cotton Stephen Hartford farmer Susan Hartford	Wolborough Norfolk Va Lancaster Whitefield	1st 1st	S E Quimby, c. Whitefield
Sept 20	Jefferson N H	Mack Thayer Maud D Plaisted	23 18		Laborer	Jefferson Rutland Vt	Thomas Thayer farmer Betsey Thayer Elisha Plaisted farmer Emerline Plaisted		1st 1st	James Crowley, c. Jefferson
Sept 20	Jefferson N H	Martin D Bean Lucevia Dennis	51 50		Farmer	Sandwich			2d 2d	James Crowley, c. Jefferson
Nov 17	Waterford Vt	Frank L Rines Stella E Munn	27 22		Farmer	Jefferson Bloomfield	James Rines farmer Thankful Rines James Munn S J Munn		2d 2d	Charles Ross, justice Waterford, Vt
Aug 30	Lancaster N H	Wm Truland Bridget Wilson			Farmer					Father Creamer, C P Lancaster

Deaths Registered in Town of Jefferson, for the Year ending December 31, 1887.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Sex	Color	Condition	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death
			Years	Mos	Days							
Jan 29	Jefferson	Lovey Holmes	86	3		F	All W	Widowed	Housewife			Paralysis
Feb 9	"	Laura Scott	24	7		"	"	Married	"			Consumption
Apr 5	"	Jennie Mathews	18	11		"	"	Single	"	Wm Mathews		Quick Consumption
Apr 23	Berlin	Hattie E McIntire	21			"	"	"	School Teacher	George P McIntire	Lodemia McIntire	Heart Disease
Apr 25	Jefferson	Otis A Garland	60			M	"	"	Laborer			Heart Disease
Apr 26	"	Thankful Rines	70			F	"	Married				Heart Trouble
Apr 29	"	Infant child			12					James Rines	Flora Lowe	
May 22	Whitefld	John Morse	92	11		M	"	Widowed	Minister			Old Age
June 21	Jefferson	Emily Merrow	40	6		F	"	Married	Housewife			Cancerous Trouble
July 27	"	Sophia Longway	38			"	"	"	"			Typhoid Fever
July 30	"	Hattie Ingerson	1	4	16	"	"	"		Alvah Ingerson	Lizzie Palmer	Heart Disease
Sept 17	"	Phyla Morgan	87	11	17	"	"	Widowed	Housewife			Old Age
Nov 26	"	Charles L Plaisted	57	9	14	M	"	Married		B H Plaisted	Rebecca Ingerson	Pneumonia
Dec 1	"	Almon J Morgan	56			"	"	Widowed	Farmer			Typhoid Fever